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**INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE UNIVERSITY OF CASTILLA-LA MANCHA (SPAIN)
AND
ANKARA UNIVERSITY (TURKEY)**

Prof. Ernesto Martínez Ataz, Rector of the University of Castilla-La Mancha (UCLM), Spain,
And Dr. Cemal Talug, Rector of Ankara University, Turkey,

DECLARE:

1.- WHEREAS both, the University of Castilla-La Mancha and Ankara University are interested in the development of specific Interuniversity Cooperation Programmes, with the exchange of teaching and research personnel.

2.- WHEREAS, the University of Castilla-La Mancha and Ankara University are both interested in collaborating together in the mutual development of the aforesaid programmes.

STIPULATIONS

FIRST

The present agreement aims to promote interuniversity cooperation in the fields of teaching and research for both undergraduate and postgraduate programs.

SECOND

To set forth the terms of this cooperation, the signing parties agree to:

- ◆ Develop and exchange publications, data and other teaching materials
- ◆ Inform the other institution about conferences, discussions, scientific meetings and seminars organised and exchange the publications and documents resulting from these activities.
- ◆ Promote, in the framework of the rules of each university, the participation of the teaching and research personnel, as well as students of the other institution in courses, discussions, seminars or conferences organised as stated in the annual collaboration programmes.
- ◆ Promote, within their possibilities, the exchange of teachers for a certain time, with teaching or research purposes, previously agreed upon the departments involved.
- ◆ Receive students from the other institution, provided that they match the requirements in the host institution.



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- ◆ Develop research projects, preferably of a collaborative nature, involving researchers from Ankara University and UCLM.
- ◆ Promote the participation in European programmes of interuniversity cooperation.
- ◆ Graduate and undergraduate students who wish to enroll in an appropriate full-time course load for credit will be exchanged on a reciprocal basis.

THIRD

Appropriate procedures will be adopted for carrying out each activity and will be referenced as statements entitled Activity Agreements and shall be attached as an annex to the present agreement.

FOURTH

Both universities shall endeavour to have available budget resources for the application of the present agreement and obtain the necessary complementary funding.

FIFTH

The present agreement will be in force, pending ratification by institutional Governing Bodies and the signature of the representatives of each institution. The agreement will be tacitly renewed.

SIXTH

This agreement may be terminated at any time by either one of the universities upon provision of written notice and will be effective three months from the date of the written notice. If the present agreement is terminated, both parties must guarantee the completion of the projects and initiatives already in progress.

SEVENTH

The revision of this agreement, through mutual decision, shall require the same procedure as its initial elaboration.

EIGHTH

The UCLM appoints Prof. Porfirio Sanz Camañes, coordinator for the interaction between the two institutions and the Ankara University appoints Prof. Dr. N. Yasemin Yalim for the coordination.



NINTH

This Agreement shall not be construed as creating any legally binding financial relationships or other commitments between the parties. This Agreement will be construed as a statement of intent to foster genuine and mutually beneficial academic collaboration. This Agreement shall not prejudice the right of the Ankara University from establishing similar relationships with institutions other than the UCLM, nor prevent the UCLM from establishing similar relationships with institutions other than Ankara University.

By common consent, this agreement is signed in Toledo, on the 28 day of November, 2011.

ON BEHALF OF THE UNIVERSITY
CASTILLA-LA MANCHA

Ernesto Martínez Ataz
Rector

ON BEHALF OF ANKARA
UNIVERSITY

Cemal Talug
Rector